REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE FILE 650

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate:

We, the undersigned members of the conference committee appointed to resolve the differences between the House of Representatives and the Senate on House File 650, a bill for an

Act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund and the revenue bonds capitals II fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date provisions, respectfully make the following report:

- 1. That the Senate recedes from its amendment, H-1342.
- 2. That House File 650, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the House, is amended to read as follows:
- 1. By striking everything after the enacting clause and inserting:

<DIVISION I

REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND

Section 1. REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND —
APPROPRIATIONS. There is appropriated from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund to the following departments and agencies for the following fiscal years, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

1. DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

For major maintenance projects included on the department of administrative services unfunded major maintenance project requests list issued for the third quarter of fiscal year 2014-2015:

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\$ 9,974,856

However, of the moneys appropriated in this subsection, \$350,000 is transferred to the department of human services and is appropriated for the costs of security, building and grounds maintenance, utilities, salary, and support for the facilities located at the Iowa juvenile home at Toledo.

- 2. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP
- a. (1) For deposit in the water quality initiative fund created in section 466B.45 for purposes of supporting the water quality initiative administered by the soil

conservation division as provided in section 466B.42, including salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":

FY 2015-2016:

.....\$ 5,200,000

- (2) (a) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used to support projects in subwatersheds as designated by the department that are part of high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council established pursuant to section 466B.3.
- (b) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used to support projects in watersheds generally, including regional watersheds, as designated by the division and high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council established pursuant to section 466B.3.
- (c) Of the moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph, \$450,000 is allocated to the Iowa nutrient research center at Iowa state university of science and technology for nutrient water monitoring network technology and equipment. Of the moneys allocated in this subparagraph division, not more than \$150,000 may be used for the operations and maintenance of the nutrient water monitoring network.
- (3) In supporting projects in subwatersheds and watersheds as provided in subparagraph (2), subparagraph divisions (a) and (b), all of the following shall apply:
- (a) The demonstration projects shall utilize water quality practices as described in the latest revision of the document entitled "Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy" initially presented in November 2012 by the department of agriculture and land stewardship, the department of natural resources, and Iowa state university of science and technology.
- (b) The division shall implement demonstration projects as provided in subparagraph division (a) by providing for participation by persons who hold a legal interest in

agricultural land used in farming. To every extent practical, the division shall provide for collaborative participation by such persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land located within the same subwatershed.

- (c) The division shall implement a demonstration project on a cost-share basis as determined by the division. However, the state's share of the amount shall not exceed 50 percent of the estimated cost of establishing the practice as determined by the division or 50 percent of the actual cost of establishing the practice, whichever is less.
- (d) The demonstration projects shall be used to educate other persons about the feasibility and value of establishing similar water quality practices. The division shall promote field day events for purposes of allowing interested persons to establish water quality practices on their agricultural land.
- (e) The division shall conduct water quality evaluations within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period after accumulating information from such evaluations, the division shall create an aggregated database of water quality practices. Any information identifying a person holding a legal interest in agricultural land or specific agricultural land shall be a confidential record under section 22.7.
- (4) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used to support education and outreach in a manner that encourages persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used for farming to implement water quality practices, including the establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.
- (5) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph may be used to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of efforts provided in this paragraph.
- (6) The moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph may be used by the department to support urban soil and water

conservation efforts, which may include but are not limited to management practices related to bioretention, landscaping, the use of permeable or pervious pavement, and soil quality restoration. The moneys shall be allocated on a cost-share basis as provided in chapter 161A.

- (7) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the department may use moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph to carry out the provisions of this paragraph on a cost-share basis in combination with other moneys available to the department from a state or federal source.
- (8) Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph may be used for costs of administration and implementation of the water quality initiative administered by the soil conservation division.
- b. For deposit in the agricultural drainage well water quality assistance fund created in section 460.303 for purposes of supporting the agricultural drainage well water quality assistance program as provided in section 460.304, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":

FY 2015-2016:

..... \$ 1,920,000

3. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

For infrastructure costs addressing life and safety needs at facilities owned or operated by the fifth judicial district department of correctional services:

FY 2015-2016:

.....\$ 500,000

- 4. DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS
- a. For deposit in the Iowa great places program fund created in section 303.3D for Iowa great places program projects that meet the definition of "vertical infrastructure" in section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":

FY 2015-2016:

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\$ 1,000,000
b. For grants to nonprofit organizations committed to
strengthening communities through youth development, healthy
living, and social responsibility for costs associated with
the renovation and maintenance of facility infrastructure at
facilities located in cities with a population of less than
28,000 as determined by the 2010 federal decennial census: FY 2015-2016:
\$ 500,000
c. For the funding of a civil war monument located in
a county with a population between 20,900 and 21,000 as
determined by the 2010 federal decennial census:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 150,000
d. For the funding of a veterans memorial, including
installation and associated infrastructure costs, located in
a city with a population between 175 and 190, that is located
in a county with a population between 8,500 and 8,800, each as
determined by the 2010 federal decennial census:
FY 2015-2016
5. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
a. For deposit in the community attraction and tourism fund
created in section 15F.204:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 5,000,000
b. For equal distribution to regional sports authority
districts certified by the department pursuant to section
15E.321, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 500,000
c. For administration and support of the world food prize
including the Borlaug/Ruan scholar program, notwithstanding

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section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 300,000
d. For restoration and improvements at the museum at Fort
Des Moines:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 150,000
6. DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
a. For the renovation and construction of certain nursing
facilities, consistent with the provisions of chapter 249K:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 728,818
b. For a grant to a nonprofit organization specializing in
brain injury rehabilitation by providing post-acute inpatient
and outpatient rehabilitation, as well as long-term skilled,
supported, and independent living services for people who have
sustained a traumatic brain injury due to a stroke, tumor,
aneurysm, or other brain injury, in a city with a population
between 45,000 and 46,000 as determined by the 2010 federal
decennial census, for costs associated with the construction of
an outpatient therapy center:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 500,000
c. For a grant to a nonprofit organization that provides
vocational, residential, community employment, and living
services to assist persons with disabilities, in a city with
a population between 25,300 and 26,000 as determined by the
2010 federal decennial census, for costs associated with
construction of a building for use by the organization:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 500,000
d. For a grant to a nonprofit organization that provides
youth emergency and shelter services for children and their
families located in a county with a population of more than

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400,000 as determined by the 2010 federal decennial census,
for infrastructure costs for expansion of an emergency youth
shelter facility:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 500,000
The grant recipient that receives funding pursuant to this
lettered paragraph shall provide at least a dollar-for-dollar
match of moneys received from both private and public sources
excluding funding from the state.
7. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
a. For implementation of lake projects that have
established watershed improvement initiatives and community
support in accordance with the department's annual lake
restoration plan and report, notwithstanding section 8.57,
subsection 5, paragraph "c":
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 9,600,000
b. For the administration of a water trails and low head
dam public hazard statewide plan, including salaries, support,
maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes, notwithstanding
section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 1,750,000
c. For state park infrastructure improvements:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 5,000,000
8. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
To the fire service training bureau for costs associated
with acquiring mobile fire training and related fire equipment,
notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 100,000
The bureau shall provide for at least a dollar-for-dollar
match of moneys received from both private and public sources

excluding funding from the state.
9. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC DEFENSE
a. For major maintenance projects at national guard
armories and facilities:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 2,000,000
b. For improvement projects for Iowa national guard
installations and readiness centers to support operations and
training requirements:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 2,000,000
c. For construction improvement projects at the Camp Dodge
facility:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 500,000
10. BOARD OF REGENTS
a. For allocation by the state board of regents to the
state university of Iowa, Iowa state university of science
and technology, and the university of northern Iowa to
reimburse the institutions for deficiencies in the operating
funds resulting from the pledging of tuition, student fees
and charges, and institutional income to finance the cost of
providing academic and administrative buildings and facilities
and utility services at the institutions:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 30,237,549
b. For construction of a student innovation center at Iowa
state university of science and technology:
FY 2016-2017:
\$ 1,000,000
FY 2017-2018:
\$ 9,000,000
FY 2018-2019:
\$ 10,000,000

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FY 2019-2020:
FY 2020-2021:
11. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION \$ 10,000,000
a. For acquiring, constructing, and improving multi-use
recreational trails within the state: FY 2015-2016:
\$ 3,400,000
Moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph shall be used for multi-purpose recreational trails including walking, biking, snowmobiling, skiing, and equestrian purposes where possible.
b. For deposit in the public transit infrastructure grant
fund created in section 324A.6A, for projects that meet
the definition of vertical infrastructure in section 8.57,
subsection 5, paragraph "c":
FY 2015-2016:
c. For infrastructure improvements at the commercial service airports within the state: FY 2015-2016:
\$ 1,500,000
d. For infrastructure improvements at general aviation
airports within the state:
FY 2015-2016:
e. For deposit in the railroad revolving loan and grant fund created in section 327H.20A, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c": FY 2015-2016:
12. TREASURER OF STATE
For distribution in accordance with chapter 174 to qualified

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fairs which belong to the association of Iowa fairs for county
fair infrastructure improvements:
FY 2015-2016:
13. IOWA VETERANS HOME \$ 1,060,000
a. For replacement of the emergency fuel tanks for boilers
and generators and installment of spill containment equipment:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 1,800,000
b. For renovation of the laundry facilities at the Malloy
building:
FY 2015-2016:
 \$ 3,000,000
c. For the replacement of air handler units at the Sheeler,
Loftus, Malloy, and Dack buildings:
FY 2015-2016:
\$ 6,000,000
d. For the renovation of the Loftus ramp for compliance with
the federal Americans with Disabilities Act:
FY 2016-2017:
\$ 500,000
e. For renovation of the Sheeler and Loftus buildings:
FY 2016-2017:
\$ 2,000,000
Sec. 2. REVERSION. For purposes of section 8.33, unless
specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated
moneys made from an appropriation in this division of this Act
shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for
the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that
ends three years after the end of the fiscal year for which the
appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for
which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier
fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at
the close of that same fiscal year.

DIVISION II

REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND — TECHNOLOGY APPROPRIATIONS Sec. 3. REBUILD IOWA INFRASTRUCTURE FUND — TECHNOLOGY APPROPRIATIONS. There is appropriated from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund to the following departments and agencies for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated, notwithstanding section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph "c":

- 1. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

The department may use a portion of the moneys appropriated in this lettered paragraph for an e-transcript data system capable of tracking students throughout their education via interconnectivity with multiple schools.

- c. To the public broadcasting division for the replacement of equipment and for tower and facility maintenance:\$ 1,256,200
- 2. IOWA TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND TECHNOLOGY COMMISSION For replacement of equipment for the Iowa communications network:

.....\$ 2,248,653

The commission may continue to enter into contracts pursuant to section 8D.13 for the replacement of equipment and for operations and maintenance costs of the network.

In addition to moneys appropriated in this subsection, the commission may use a financing agreement entered into by

the treasurer of state in accordance with section 12.28 for the replacement of equipment for the network. For purposes of this subsection, the treasurer of state is not subject to the maximum principal limitation contained in section 12.28, subsection 6. Repayment of any amounts financed shall be made from receipts associated with fees charged for use of the network.

- 3. DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RIGHTS
- a. For the cost of equipment and computer software for the continued development and implementation of Iowa's criminal justice information system:

.....\$ 1,300,000

- b. For the costs associated with the justice enterprise data warehouse:
-\$ 159,474
 - 4. DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT
- a. For the continued development and implementation of a searchable database that can be placed on the internet for budget and financial information:

.....\$ 45,000

b. For completion of the comprehensive electronic grant management system:

\$ 50,000

- 5. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
- a. For the development of an integrated data system for maternal health, child health, oral health, family planning, the maternal, infant, and early childhood home visiting program, the healthy opportunities for parents to experience success program, the school-based dental sealant program, and the 1st five program within the department:

.....\$ 500,000

b. For acquisition of software relating to the licensure and regulation of the practice of polysomnography:

\$ 36,000

CCH-650 c. For expanding information technology resources and research activities of the Iowa registry for congenital and inherited disorders to allow for the acquisition and dissemination of additional birth defect and stillbirth information: 300,000 6. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT For the implementation of a statewide mass notification and emergency messaging system: 400,000 7. BOARD OF REGENTS a. For purposes of purchasing and installing equipment within the college of veterinary medicine, at Iowa state university of science and technology for use by the college in the treatment of cancer: 330,000 The equipment referred to in this lettered paragraph may be a linear accelerator or other equipment associated with radiosurgery or other targeted cancer therapies. b. For funds to be distributed to Iowa public radio for a radio transmitter: 100,000 8. SECRETARY OF STATE a. For the updating and upgrading capabilities of aging voter registration systems and business services data systems to meet current and future expectations of open and transparent elections: 450,000 b. For data processing services to support voter

c. Moneys appropriated in this subsection shall be expended by the secretary of state in consultation with the office of the chief information officer.

registration file maintenance and storage:

234,000

9. TREASURER OF STATE

For costs associated with creating an Iowa ABLE savings plan trust as established in section 12I.2, if 2015 Iowa Acts, Senate File 505, or similar legislation enacting section 12I.2, is enacted:

.....\$ 50,000

Sec. 4. REVERSION. For purposes of section 8.33, unless specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated moneys made from an appropriation in this division of this Act shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that ends three years after the end of the fiscal year for which the appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at the close of that same fiscal year.

DIVISION III

MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 5. REVENUE BONDS CAPITALS II FUND.

1. There is appropriated from the revenue bonds capitals II fund created in section 12.88A to the department of administrative services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

For major maintenance projects:

.....\$ 4,646,841

2. Any remaining unobligated or unencumbered balance in the revenue bonds capitals II fund created in section 12.88A at the close of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, is appropriated to the department of administrative services for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, for major maintenance projects.

DIVISION IV

CHANGES TO PRIOR APPROPRIATIONS

- Sec. 6. 2008 Iowa Acts, chapter 1179, section 20, as amended by 2009 Iowa Acts, chapter 173, section 25, and 2013 Iowa Acts, chapter 142, section 41, is amended to read as follows: SEC. 20. REVERSION.
- 1. Except as provided in subsections 2 through 4 and notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in this division of this Act for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2008, and ending June 30, 2009, shall not revert at the close of the fiscal year for which they are appropriated but shall remain available for the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2012, or until the project for which the appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.
- 2. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in section 18, subsection 9, paragraph "a", of this division as amended by 2009 Iowa Acts, chapter 173, section 24, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year for which they were appropriated shall not revert but shall remain available for the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2017, or until the project for which the appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.
- 3. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in section 18, subsection 1, paragraph "h", of this division of this Act as amended by 2009 Iowa Acts, chapter 173, section 23, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year for which the appropriation was made shall not revert but shall remain available for the purpose designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2013, or until the project for which the appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.
- 4. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated to the department of economic development in section 18, subsection 4,

paragraph "a", of this division of this Act as amended by 2009 Iowa Acts, chapter 173, section 24, and 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter 133, section 34, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year for which the appropriation was made shall not revert but shall remain available for the purpose designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2014, or until the project for which the appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.

- 5. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated to the department of economic development in section 18, subsection 4, paragraph "b", of this division of this Act as amended by 2009 Iowa Acts, chapter 173, section 24, and 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter 133, section 34, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year for which the appropriation was made shall not revert but shall remain available for the purpose designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2016, or until the project for which the appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.
- Sec. 7. 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter 133, section 2, is amended to read as follows:
 - SEC. 2. REVERSION.
- 1. For Except as provided in subsection 2, for purposes of section 8.33, unless specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated moneys made from an appropriation in this division of this Act shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that ends three years after the end of the fiscal year for which the appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at the close of that same fiscal year.
- 2. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in section 1, subsection 10, paragraph "c", as amended by 2012

Iowa Acts, chapter 1140, section 15, unless specifically provided otherwise, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, shall not revert but shall remain available for the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2017.

- Sec. 8. 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter 133, section 4, is amended to read as follows:
 - SEC. 4. REVERSION.
- 1. For Except as provided in subsection 2, for purposes of section 8.33, unless specifically provided otherwise, unencumbered or unobligated moneys made from an appropriation in this division of this Act shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of the fiscal year that ends three years after the end of the fiscal year for which the appropriation is made. However, if the project or projects for which such appropriation was made are completed in an earlier fiscal year, unencumbered or unobligated moneys shall revert at the close of that same fiscal year.
- 2. For purposes of section 8.33, unless specifically provided otherwise, moneys appropriated in section 3, subsection 8, paragraph "b", of this division of this Act as amended by 2012 Iowa Acts, chapter 1140, section 18, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, shall not revert but shall remain available for the purpose designated until the close of the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2016, or until the project for which the appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.
- Sec. 9. 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1136, section 1, subsection 7, paragraph d, is amended to read as follows:
- d. For the renovation, modernization, and associated improvements to an educational center for teacher education and preparation at the university of northern Iowa:

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•••••	\$ 11,000,000
	15,000,000
FY 2016-2017:	

\$ 13,600,000 15,900,000

FY 2017-2018:

- Sec. 10. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. This division of this Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.
- Sec. 11. RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY. This division of this Act, if approved by the governor on or after July 1, 2015, applies retroactively to June 30, 2015.

DIVISION V

MISCELLANEOUS CODE CHANGES

- Sec. 12. Section 8.57C, subsection 3, paragraph a, Code 2015, is amended to read as follows:
- There is appropriated from the general fund of the state for the following fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, and for each subsequent fiscal year thereafter years, the sum of seventeen million five hundred thousand dollars to the technology reinvestment fund-:
- (1) The fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015.
- (2) The fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016, and for each subsequent fiscal year thereafter.

DIVISION VI

CONDITIONAL EFFECTIVE DATE AND RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY **PROVISIONS**

- Sec. 13. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT Unless otherwise provided, this Act, if approved by the governor on or after July 1, 2015, takes effect upon enactment.
 - Sec. 14. RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY. Unless otherwise

provided, this Act, if approved by the governor on or after July 1, 2015, applies retroactively to July 1, 2015.>

- 2. Title page, line 4, after <date> by inserting <and retroactive applicability>
 - 3. By renumbering as necessary.

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE:	ON THE PART OF THE SENATE:
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